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**RESPONSE UNDER 35 C.F.R. §1.114**

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated June 29, 2006, and the personal interviews granted courteously to Applicant's representatives on April 25, 2006 and June 8, 2006, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.